

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 April 21 2015 to 1800 April 21 2015



Looking southbound down Monitor Pass, Highway 89, Mono County on 4/19/2015.
Phot Credit: Grady Tunnell, CSWC

Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Highway Incident, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County

Location: ¼ mile east of Highway 71, 1.5 miles north of Highway 91 in the Prado Basin Area of Riverside County.

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Date/Time: 04/18/2015 at 1812 hours

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 04/21/15 at 1818 hours:

- 1020 acres, 75% contained
- Expected Containment: 04/24/15
- No expected threat
- 5 Local Government Engines and 5 OES engines assigned.
- A Cal OES Fire Branch Assistant Chief responded to the incident
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) has been submitted to Cal OES and has been placed on hold

Health and Medical

- South Coast Air Quality Management District on 4/19/15 issued a **Smoke Advisory** for the Norco/Corona area and the San Bernardino Valley. Current air quality measurements are mostly in the Moderate category throughout the Inland Empire and the remainder of the Basin, but localized areas may reach the **Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups** level, or higher, at times, depending on winds and containment of the fire.

There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring the situation and will provide updates as they become available.

Weather of Concern

- Showers and thunderstorms will continue from the Tahoe Basin northward into Plumas and Lassen Counties through early evening. Stronger storms will be capable of producing hail up to penny size, wind gusts to 40 mph along with occasional lightning and locally heavy rainfall. Storms have generally shown a very slow movement to the north or northwest.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

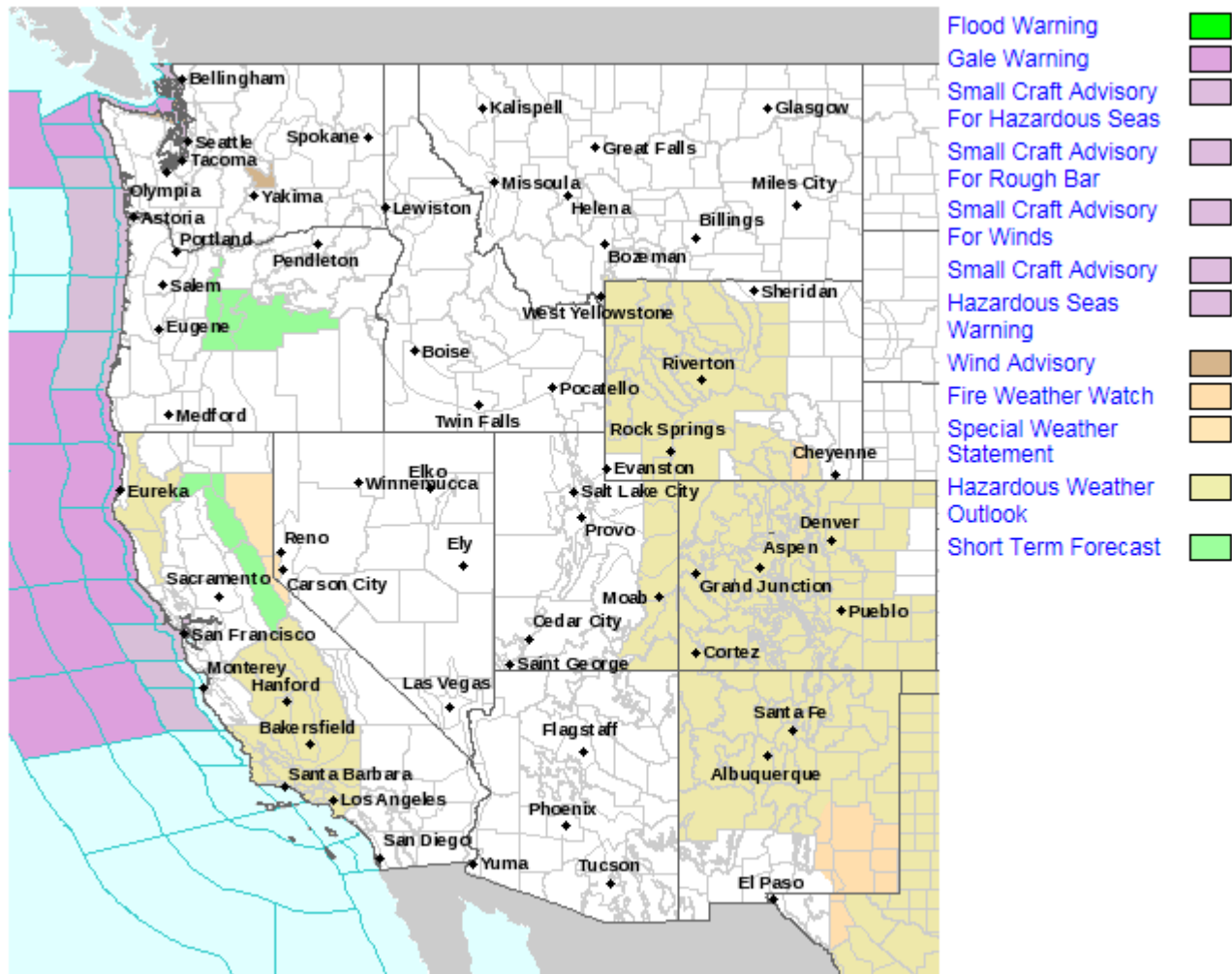
High pressure has weakened and shifted to the east of Northern California, allowing our governing weather pattern to become more unsettled for at least a few days. The first weak low pressure trough from the Pacific will be nearing Northern California later today. It isn't overly moist, but it will act to moisten and destabilize the air mass. Especially when combined with afternoon heating, we will see scattered showers and/or isolated thunderstorms develop each of the next three days. Most of them will end up over the middle to higher terrain in the northeast half of Northern California. Look for a cooling trend lasting several days that starts today, along with an upward humidity trend and better overnight relative humidity recovery. Snow levels will stay quite high with showers later today, and will probably drop to no lower than 6000 feet in the north and 7000 feet in the south later in the week. Wind patterns will vary day to day. Look for light to moderate south-southwest to west-northwest later today, then a large share of the Area will turn west-northwest to north-northeast Wednesday, before generally decreasing in most areas Thursday.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Low pressure over California will bring afternoon showers and thunderstorms to the mountains through Friday. Most Sierra locations will receive between 1 and 2 inches of rainfall, while the Southern California Mountains receive between a quarter inch and an inch of rainfall this week. Elsewhere isolated to scattered showers will be possible at times especially Thursday, with less than a quarter inch of rainfall. Temperatures will be a little below normal through Friday, with mid-50s to mid-60s in the mountains and mid-60s to mid-70s in the valleys. Gusty afternoon westerly winds will surface across the desert passes each afternoon through Friday. A significant warming and drying trend will take place across the area Saturday through Monday as strong high pressure builds into the state from the Pacific.



STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Apr, 21st 2015 at 6:02:48 pm MDT

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level **2**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **1**

Southern California

Preparedness Level **2**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **2**

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Round Fire, Mono County

- **Notables:** The last of the trees within the County right of way were fallen today. The trees will be bucked up in rounds for use as firewood for IMACA. Expedited confirmation sampling of several completed lots in preparation for tree falling starting Monday April 20, 2015.
- **Day 19 Debris Removal:** Five crews worked on 8 home sites. Debris removal was completed at 0 home sites today. Air remedial and personnel monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community. Continued preparing septic tanks for pumping.

Project Totals as Day 19:

38	Homeowners who registered for the removal project.
4	Homeowners that denied entry.
38	Initial site assessment/site documentation complete.
38	Asbestos survey completed and results received.
26	Debris removal completed.
25/9	Confirmation sampling completed/approved.
0	Erosion Control Completed.
0	Approved by County for Building Permit.

Estimated Project Total Tonnage for the Project as of Day 19:

Category	Total Tons
Debris and Ash Disposed	2,715
Soil Disposed	3,627
Metals Recycled	1,238
Concrete Recycled	2,387
Total All Categories	9,967

Estimated Daily Tonnage:

Category	Day 19
Debris/Ash	250
Soil Disposed	84
Metal Recycled	150
Concrete Recycled	214
Total	698



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a weekly basis.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 54 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 24 Counties: El Dorado, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 9 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.